

Topic: Response to USPTO Office Action, Confirmation No. 6162

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Examiner: Mark S. Graham

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Patent Entitled: UNIVERSAL CROQUET WICKET LIGHTING UNIT

Dear Mr. Graham,

As per the above referenced Office Action, I submit the following election regarding the claims I have made in my regular patent application number: 10/721,687.

My Election:

I hereby elect to <u>retain</u> for examination, only claim No. 1 (a "Methods" claim). In so doing I elect to <u>delete</u> from said Patent application, the <u>claims #2 through #10</u>, that constitute a single independent "Article of manufacture" claim (that being #2), and multiple dependent claims (those being #3 through #10).

Thank you for your useful communication regarding this matter.

Signed,

David Lang

19 October 2004

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